CLAIMS

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- A method for transferring a glucosyl residue to a polyalcohol, comprising a step of:
- allowing a trehalose phosphorylase to act on a saccharide containing glucose as a component sugar, and one or more polyalcohols selected from the group consisting inositol, ribitol, erythritol, and glycerol.
- 2. A method for transferring a glucosyl residue to glucuronic10 acid and/or a salt thereof, comprising a step of:

allowing a trehalose phosphorylase to act on a saccharide containing glucose as a component sugar, and glucuronic acid and/or salts thereof.

3. Amethod for transferring a glucosyl residue to a derivative of glucose whose C-6 hydroxyl group bound to a saccharide:

allowing a trehalose phosphorylase to act on a saccharide containing glucose as a component sugar, and one or more derivatives of glucose whose C-6 hydroxyl group bound to a saccharide, selected from the group consisting isomaltose, gentiobiose, melibiose, isomaltotriose and isopanose.

- 4. The method of any one of claims 1 to 3, wherein said saccharide containing glucose as a component sugar is $\beta\text{-D-glucose-1-phosphate}$ and/or a salt thereof or trehalose.
- 5. The method of any one of claims 1 to 4, wherein said trehalose phosphorylase has a thermal stability of keeping 80% or higher phosphorolytic activity when the enzyme is treated at pH 7.0 and 60°C for one hour.
 - 6. The method of any one of claims 1 to 5, wherein said trehalose phosphorylase is a natural enzyme originated from *Thermoanaerobium*

brockii or a recombinant enzyme thereof.

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- 7. A process for producing a glucosyl-transferred polyalcohol or a composition comprising the same, comprising the steps of:
- forming the glucosyl-transferred polyal cohol by the method of claim 1 or any one of claims 4 to 6; and

collecting the formed glucosyl-transferred polyalcohol or the composition comprising the same.

- 8. The process of claim 7, wherein the formed glucosyl-transferred polyalcohol or a composition comprising the same is collected by one or more methods selected from the group consisting of decoloring, deionization, filtration, concentration, chromatography, drying and crystallization.
 - 9. A process for producing a glucosyl-transferred glucuronic acid and/or a salt thereof or a composition comprising the same, comprising the steps of:

forming the glucosyl-transferred glucuronic acid and/or a salt thereof by the method of claim 2 or any one of claims 4 to 6; and

- collecting the formed glucosyl-transferred glucuronic acid and/or a salt thereof or the composition comprising the same.
 - 10. The process of claim 9, where the formed glucosyl-transferred glucuronic acid and/or a salt thereof or a composition comprising the same is collected by one or more methods selected from the group consisting of decoloring, deionization, filtration, adsorption, ion dialysis, concentration, chromatography, drying and crystallization.
 - 11. A process for producing a glucosyl-transferred derivative of glucose whose C-6 hydroxyl group bound to a saccharide or a composition

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comprising the same, comprising the steps of:

forming the glucosyl-transferred derivative of glucose whose C-6 hydroxyl group bound to a saccharide by the method of any one of claims 3 to 6; and

collecting the formed glucosyl-transferred derivative of glucose whose C-6 hydroxyl group bound to a saccharide or the composition comprising the same.

12. The process of claim 11, wherein the formed glucosyl-transferred derivative of glucose whose C-6 hydroxyl group bound to a saccharide or a composition comprising the same is collected by one or more methods selected from the group consisting of decoloring, deionization, filtration, adsorption, ion dialysis, concentration, chromatography, drying and crystallization

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